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## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER & INDUSTRY SERVICES LANSING

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**Date:** March 26, 2003

**To:** Before and After School Child Care Programs

**From:** Irma Zuckerberg, Interim Director

**Bureau of Family Services** 

**Re:** Public Act 696 of 2002

The Child Care Organization Act (Public Act 116 of 1973, as amended) provides the legal basis for regulation of child care organizations, including school age child care. Late last year, Public Act 696 of 2002 amended the Child Care Organization Act to allow facilities or programs for school-age children, operated at a school by a public school or by a person or entity with whom a public school contracts for services, to request an exemption from the regulatory requirements of the Act. The earliest effective date for an exemption is July 1, 2003.

To be eligible for an exemption:

- The program must be currently licensed or approved.
- The program must have been in operation and licensed or approved for a minimum of four years prior to the exemption request.
- During the four years preceding the exemption request, there must not have been substantial violations of the Act, or administrative rules.
- The school board or board of directors must have adopted a resolution supporting the application for exemption.

If you wish to apply for an exemption, please complete the attached application and return it, along with the adopted school board or board of directors' resolution to:

Bureau of Family Services Consultation and Training Division 7109 W. Saginaw, P.O. Box 30650 Lansing, Michigan 48909-8150

We will respond to your request within 45 days from the date the completed application is received.

## BUREAU OF FAMILY SERVICES REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION FROM P.A. 116 LICENSURE/APPROVAL

Michigan Department of Consumer and Industry Services

LICENSE #  Name of Facility		MCL722.111 (Section 2) provides that a "facility or program for school-age children that is operated at a school by a public school or by a person or entity with whom a public school contracts for services…may apply to the department …to be exempt from this act." Licensee Name				
Address		Address (if different from Facility)				
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City/State/Zip Code			City/State/Zip Code			
Contact Person			Phone			
LICENSE INFORMATION						
Original License Effective Date: License Expiration Date		I	icense Status	Age Range	Age Range	
Have you been licensed at this site for at least 4 years?  □ No □ Yes						
School Board or Board of Director's resolution supporting exemption attached?  □ No □ Yes						
Is there any other information you wish BFS to consider?						
FOR BFS USE						
Special Investigations in the past 4 years? ☐ No ☐ Yes  Provisional License issued in past 4 years?? ☐ No ☐ Yes			Has this facility had substantial Act or rule violations in the past 4 years? ☐ No ☐ Yes.			
Recommendation to approve exemption request  No Yes. If "No" please explain						
Date Exemption Granted			Effective Date of Exemption			
SIGNATURES						
Signature of person completing report (if not licensee)		Ti	Title Date		Date	
Signature of Licensee			Title Date		Date	
Signature of BFS Representative			tle		Date	

Authority: Act No. 116 of the Public Acts of 1973, as amended

Completion: Required

Penalty: Licensee cannot obtain exemption to licensure

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